



PATENT Attorney Docket No. 046601-5134

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re A	Application of:) Confirmation No.: 7753			
	Naoto YOSHINO)			
Applic	cation No.: 10/830,226) Group Art Unit: 2852			
Filed:	April 23, 2004) Examiner: H. Tran			
For:	IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS WITH SIMPLIFIED REMOVAL OF COMPONENTS (AS AMENDED))))) Mail Stop Amendment			
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Customer Window, MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Randolph Building Alexandria, VA 22314					
Sir:					
	AMENDMENT TRANSMITTA	AL FORM			
1.	Transmitted herewith is an Amendment responding to the Office Action dated October 4, 2005.				
2.	Additional papers enclosed:				
	Drawings: Formal Informal (Correct Information Disclosure Statement Form PTO-1449, references included Citations Declaration of Biological Deposit	ion)			

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: 046601-5134

Application No.: 10/830,226
Page 2

J. EXICH	sion o) [] []	me

_	roceedings herein are F.R. § 1.136(a) apply.	for a patent application	n and the provisions of		
	Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that Applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.				
\boxtimes	Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a), for the total number of months checked below:				
	Total Months Requested	Fee for Extension	[Fee for Small Entity]		
	one month two months three months four months	\$ 120.00 \$ 450.00 \$ 1,020.00 \$ 1,590.00	\$ 60.00 \$ 225.00 \$ 510.00 \$ 795.00		
	Extension of time fee due with this request: \$0.00.				
	If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a Petition therefor.				
	An extension formonths has already been secured and the fee paid therefore of \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.				
Const	ructive Petition				
	EXCEPT for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3).				

4.

Application No.: 10/830,226

Page 3

5. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. §1.16)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid	Present Extra	at Rate of	Total Fees
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(c))	14	minus	20	0	x \$50 each=	+ \$0.00
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R.§1.16(b)) 3 minus 3 0 x \$200 each=					x \$200 each=	+ \$0.00
[] First presentation of Multiple dependent claim(s) \$360.00					+ \$ 0.00	
SUB-TOTAL =					\$0.00	
Reduction by ½ for filing by a small entity				- \$0.00		
TOTAL FEE =				\$0.00		

6. Fee Payment

\boxtimes	No fee is to be paid at this time.
. 🔲	Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0310 the total of \$0.00 for the fee The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional extension of time fee or additional fee for claims due to Deposit Account No. 50-0310.
	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Jane Boswell Reg. No. 33.652

MORGAN, LEWIS & BOCKIUS LLP

Dated: December 13, 2005

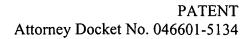
By:

CUSTOMER NO. 09629

MORGAN, LEWIS & BOCKIUS LLP

1111 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004

Telephone: (202) 739-3000 Facsimile: (202) 739-3001





IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:) Confirmation No.: 7753
Naoto YOSHINO)
Application No.: 10/830,226) Group Art Unit: 2852
Filed: April 23, 2004) Examiner: H. Tran
For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS WITH SIMPLIFIED REMOVAL OF COMPONENTS (AS AMENDED)	
) Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Customer Window, Mail Stop Amendment
Randolph Building
401 Dulany Street
Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

In response to the Office Action issued on October 4, 2005, the period for response extending until January 4, 2006, please reconsider the application and allow all pending claims in view of the following remarks.

IN THE TITLE:

Replace the title of the invention with the following title:

IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS WITH SIMPLIFIED REMOVAL OF COMPONENTS.